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Commander Bennett told the committee the Navy contemplates having 165,000 men under training this winter, of which 60,000 will be in training on shore. He explained that these men might be in training for six months, but that if an emergency arose the training period would be shortened. shortened.

In answer to a question from Representative Fitzgerald of New York, chairman of the appropriations committee. Commander Bennett said he believed the Navy would want to maintain the new training stations indefinitely.

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Mrs. Dorothy Houchen Baxter, organist and choir director of the Church of Our Father, has returned to the city of the First Baptist Church to Cocan View, Norfolk and Old Point Comfort. She presided at the organ again Sunday, and Henry Kruger, tenor soloist of the First Baptist Church, is substituting during September for W. S. Blanchard, who is acting as precentor at the Church of the Covenant. The other members of the quartet—Mrs. Sydney P. Hollingsworth, soprano; Miss Lillian Chenowith, contralto, and Fred East, is have also resumed singing for the season. This morning the choir anthem will be "Seek Ye'the Lord," by Roberts; the offertory number will be a soprano solo, and Mrs. Baxter will play for prelude "Vision," by Rheinberger, and for postlude, "Fanfare," by Lemmens.

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Mrs. Edythe Marmion Brosius, harpist,
returned Monday from a two-week
outing at Harper's Ferry, W. Va.

Miss Agnes Dowling, organist of the
choir of mixed voices at St. Anthony's
to livisit with relatives in Brookland, N. Y.,
has joined her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Harry Dowling, for a two-week stay
at Atlantic City.

The quartet of Wesley Methodist
Church will resume singing at both
services today, with Mrs. Harrington
Barker again in charge of the music
and presiding at the organ. She will
play this morning "Andantino," by
Lemare, for prejude, and "Triumphal
March," by Batiste, for postlude. Miss
Aileen Miller, soprano, returned yesterday from her holiday outing and will
give the offertory number, and the
quartet, consisting of Miss Miller, Mrs.
James Kerr, contralto; Harrington
Barker, tenor, and Herbert Moreton,
bass, will render the anthem "Sing
Alleluia Forth," by Dudley Buck, This
evening Mrs. Kerr and Mr. Moreton will
sing the duet "I will Magnify Thee,"
and the quartet anthem wilf be Buck's
setting of "Rock of Ages."

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the north is spending a month in
Atlantic City.

Charles F. Roberts, who has served
as bass soloist at St. Paul's Luthern
Church for many years, has resigned
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city at frequent intervals. He has been
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Mrs. Bertha Hansen Gottsman, soprano;
Mrs. Julian Brylawski, contralto, and
Roy Gilder, tenor, have been re-engaged for the season, and resumed their
duties at the church last Sunday Mrs.

Sydney Lloyd Wrightson, who has
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setting of "Rock of Ages."

Miss Flora Briggs. soprano, with E. Earl Wagner, violinist; Richard Lorleberg, violoncellist; W. S. Blanchard, precentor, and Claude Robeson, organist, will furnish the music of the preliminary program and at the service immediately following this evening at the Church of the Covenant. Commencing at 7:45 o'clock the numbers will include the organ voluntary, "The Sandman," by Alden; soprano solo, "Adore and Be Still," by Gounod; violin, "adore and Be Still," by Gounod; violin, "solo, "Berceuse," by Tor Aulin; during service, soprano solo, "Lead, Kindly Light," by Hawley; 'cello solo, "Nocturne" (E flat major), by Chopin; trio for violin, 'cello and organ, "Barcarolle," by Rubinstein.

Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, soprano, sang Wednesday evening for the soldiers at the rest rooms of the W. C. T. U. on Pennsylvania avenue, when she met with much appreciation for the following numbers: "You'd Better Ask Me." by Lohr; "The Owl" and "The Crow's Egg," both by John Barnes Wells; "Mammy's Song." by Harriet Ware; "The Suck-coo Block," by Grant-Schaefer; "A Little Bit o' Honey," by Carrie Jacobs Bond, and encore, "Comin' Thro' the Rye," Mrs. W. C. Warren assisted at the piano.

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Mrs. R. H. Dalgleish has returned to Washington for the season after a fort-night at River Springs, Md., and a motor trip by a short visit to

ssisted at the piano. McHenry McChord, organist of Epiphany Church, was also one of those who contributed their talent to believed the Navy would want to maintain the new training stations in definitely.

"Eventually we will have to take over the entire merchant fleet," he said, in explanation.

Proposes to Operate Ships.

"Does the Navy intend to operate the ships?" asked the chairman.

"Yes, sir," answered the naval officer.
"I am as certain of that as I am of anything."

Representative Sherley asked what would become of the merchant marine sailors now operating the merchant fleet. Commander Bennett said they would be discarded for trained men.
"I an talking now of the transatlantic fleet," he explained, "which is growing by leaps and bounds. Every report we get from a ship which has gone over and back on which we had an officer or petty officer in charge of the armed guard shows a condition on those ships, especially among the crew (and in some cases among the officers; which indicates we could never maintain a transatlantic service unless trained men are put in charge.

Disciplined Men Needed.

At the Church of the Epiphany today the music, under direction of McHenry McChord, organist, will include, this morning, the processional, "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart." by Messitter: "Te Deum." by King Hall: "Benedictus," by Novello; offertory anthem, "Watchman, What of the Night?" by Buck; prayer hymn, "Eternal Father, Strong to Save," by Ewing; recessional, "Round the Lord in Glory Seated." by Cobb. This evening there will be an organ recital at 7:30 o'clock, and at the service following the choir will sing the processional, "O Mother Dear, Jerusalem," by Ewing; "Magnificat" and "Nunc Dimittis," by Marks; offertory anthem, "The Radiant Morn Hath Passed Away," by Woodward; Dresden Amen; recessional, "Now the Day Is Over," by Marks. During Mr. McChord's recent vacation he gave recitals in Trinity Church, Parkersburg, W. Va.; St. Mark's and the First Christian churches in Louisville, Ky.; four programs in his old home town, Lebanon, Ky., and one evening affair at the Proctor Knott chautauqua, in which "O Mother Dear, Jerusalem," by Ewing;
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Miss Elizabeth Seymour McChord,

Bales Up to September 1.

Cotton ginned prior to September 1
amounted to 605,513 bales, counting
round as half bales, the census bureau
yesterday announced in its first ginning
report of the season. Round bales included were 2,989 bales.

This year's ginning compares with
856,668 bales ginned to September 1
last year and 463,883 bales in 1915.
Round bales last year numbered 31,225
and in 1915 there were 2,082.

- Andrew A Saturday & Training Street

Tenfative plans for the coming sea-on are already being outlined by Washington musical organizations, both Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Frederick J. Rice, soprano, who has just returned from a month's visit at Braddock Heights, Md., was invited to participate in the Braddock Heights

Lemmens.

Miss Elizabeth Yung Kwai, mezzo soprano, was one of the soloists contributing last Saturday evening to the entertainment of the soldiers at the Church of the Covenant, when she gave effectively "La Coeur de ma Mie." by Dalcrosse; "If No One Ever Marries Me." by Liza Lehmann, and "Love's Rhapsody." by D'Hardelot.

Miss Christine Church, soprano, is spending a fortnight at Stony Man Camp, Va.

Miss Elsie Carleton, Small. soprano soloist last season at the Church of the Incarnation, will substitute this morning at the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church and will be heard in the solo, "Hear Us, O Father," an English setting of Millard's "Ave Maria," and in a trio, "Give Alms of Thy Goods," by Schnecker, Charles D. Church, tenor, and James S. Hicks, bass, sustaining the other parts, Claude Robeson, organist, who returned yesterday from a visit to his home in North Carolina, will play for prelude, "Curfew," by MacKenzie, and for postitude, "Grand Choeur," by Salome.

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Announcement is made of the re-engagement of the quartet that sang last season at the Washington Heights Presbyterian Church, under direction of Mrs. Charles Brooks Smith, organist, the personnel of which includes Mrs. Agnes Bode, soprano; Miss Nellie Moran, contralito; Adolph Werner, tenor, and Edwin Callow, bass, Mrs. Smith returned during the week after six weeks spent in camp at North Scituate, R. L., and a final week with friends in Boston. This morning the quartet will sing "in Heavenly Love Abiding." by Horatio Parker, and Mrs. Bode will see heard at the offertory in "I Ask, O Lord." by Gilbert Spross.

Mrs. Gertrude Lyons, soprano, is substituting at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church for Miss Ethel Miner, the regular soloist, and will be heard this morning at the offertory in "Only Wait," by Briggs.

Dore Walten, violoncellist, who has been taking a vacation trip through the morn, and course of the free designation of the course

den City, Long Island, N. Y., for duty with the division preparing for service in France: The list is as follows: Maj. Gen. William A. Mann, National

field clerks and enlisted men to proceed

at once to Camp Albert L. Mills, Gar-

Army.
Brig. Gens. Robert A. Brown and Charles P. Summerall, National Army.
Lieut. Cols. Blanton Winship, judge advocate: Jay W. Grissinger, Medical Corps, and William Kelly, Corps of Engineers.
Majs. Francis W. Ralston, adjutant general; Marion S. Battle, Coast Artillery Corps; George F. Baltzell. 5th Infantry; John L. De Witt, 20th Infantry; James W. Frew, Medical Corps, National Guard of Wisconsin; Hanson B. Black. Signal Corps; Robert E. Wood, United States Army, retired; Harsold S. Hetrick, Corps of Engineers, and Douglas MacArthur, general staff.
Capts. John B. Coulter, cavalry, A. D. C. Samuel R. Gleaves, general staff; William N. Hughes, jr., general staff; William N. Hughes, jr., general staff; United Officers' Ilst; Elihu C. Church, Engineer Officers' Reserve Corps. Serve Corps. and Albert Pike, Engineer Officers' Reserve Corps.
Field Clerks Lester S. Prager, M. Manning Marcus and Patrick J. Robinson.
Regimental Sergts. Maj. Walter 8.

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Regimental Sergts. Maj. Walter S.
Davis, infantry, and Maj. Benjamin J.
Summerhays, infantry.
Pattalion Sergt. Maj. Friederich G.
Hammer, infantry.
Master Hospital Sergt. Julius Strauss,
medical department medical department.
Ordnance Sergt. William H. Edmiston. United States Army, and Private
J. A. Matheson, field artillery.

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